

Lady Wasps Lose to Union in Close Matchup

ROOSEVELT—The Lady Wasps headed to Union to take on the number one team in Girls Basketball. The Lady Wasps are the only ones to have defeated the Cougars, and were looking to a solid second victory.

Coach Verle Tolley said that the Lady Wasps did accomplish two of the goals they had set out to do, as they held the top scorers for Union as they held Kelly Brown and Susie Neilson to under a total of 16 points.

The team would collapse on the Neilson girl every time they looked to pass to her, which left Sharon Draper wide open for the shot from the outside.

Coach Tolley stated that the team had practiced this defense all week long, and that he hadn't expected the Draper girl to be such a good outside shot. Draper hit 18 points from the outside, and led all scoring.

"I didn't think we played that bad, considering the situation we were in," remarked Coach Tolley. "With 2 girls playing at half speed."

Wasatch was playing with Julie Mair coming back from a serious flu sickness, and Brenda Casper playing with a broken bone. Julie scored 8 points, and Brenda scored 9 points.

The Lady Wasps were down after the first period of play, and couldn't play catch up ball. The Lady Wasps lost to the Union Cougars 38-47.

The Lady Wasps will be playing their last game of the season against Grantsville at home. This will be the last

opportunity to see this exciting team play. Game time is 5:30 and 7:00, at the Wasatch High School Gymnasium.

The Lady Wasps showed even scoring, as they had Julie Mair, and Brenda Casper with 8 and 9 points respectively and Veronica Spencer had another fine game as she added 9 points, and Vicki Broadbent had 7 points and Kris Mair had 7 points.

The balanced scoring shows off the team play that the Wasps

team has had all year round. The Lady Wasps are now 4-4, in league action. Their overall record is at 12-6.

With the loss to Union, Wasatch Coach Tolley said that he felt bad since this is the first time in quite a few years that the girls haven't participated in the state meet.

"We can still end up on a good note, with a win on the last game of the year," said Tolley.



Seniors Kris Mair (left) and Jamie Giles (right) look for instruction from Coach Tolley (center). Kris and Jamie are the only two seniors on this year's team.



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David Eaton pushes past 2 Emery players to score. Eaton had 12 points on the night, as the Wasps soundly defeated Emery 58-49. Eaton was held off the inside lane most of the night due to heavy defense by Emery. Photo by Karl Peterson, Wave Photographer.